



NEWS RELEASE

HERNDON TOWN COUNCIL TO HOLD PUBLIC HEARING ON ORDINANCE PROHIBITING FIREARMS ON TOWN PROPERTY

Hearing Open to Public Comments: Town Residents Prioritized

Herndon, VA (September 9, 2021) – At its public hearing on Tuesday, September 14, the Herndon Town Council will consider an ordinance that, if adopted, will prohibit the possession, carrying, or transportation of any firearms, ammunition, or components or combination thereof on town property, in town buildings or in other areas owned by the town.

The hearing will be held in the Herndon Council Chambers, 765 Lynn Street, beginning at 7pm. Masks are required for all attendees and entrance into the chambers, accessible via Lynn Street only, will be controlled to ensure social distancing.

Members of the public are invited to address the council at the hearing. Speakers have up to three minutes to address the council. Individuals may sign up to speak upon arrival at the hearing; there is no pre-registration. Town residents will be given priority over non-resident speakers.

A full meeting agenda, including the draft ordinance on the firearms prohibition, will be available on the town's website by 3pm on Friday, September 10. See [Herndon-va.gov/meetings](https://herndon-va.gov/meetings).

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